

Acton Police Department

InterDepartmental Memo

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From: Frank J. Widmayer, Chief of Police

Date: September 22, 2003

To: Don Johnson, Town Manager

Subj: Electric vehicle

The attached memo from Lt. Palma details a donation of an electric vehicle for use at special events. I recommend we accept this donation.



Frank J. Widmayer
Chief of Police

**Acton Police Department
Inter-Departmental Communication**

To: Chief Widmayer
From: Lieutenant Palma
Subject: Ford "Think"
Date: September 22, 2003

Chief Widmayer,

Thru the efforts of Detective Prehl, MHQ has given the Police Department for testing and evaluation a Ford Think. This vehicle is an electric vehicle manufactured by Ford. It has potential as a vehicle for patrolling NARA, the Charter Road campus and neighborhoods as a community policing tool. Should we determine that it is a useful tool for our particular setting, we would be allowed to keep it. In return, MHQ asks that we allow our photograph and good words to be used when promoting the vehicle to other suburban Police Departments serviced by MHQ.

I recommend that we take advantage of this opportunity and accept the vehicle.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lieutenant Donald L. Palma, Jr.